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Mark your calendar for Queen's Baton Relay

November 24, 2017
COOKTOWN

Make sure you mark Monday, March 5, 2018 in your calendar because the Queen's Baton is arriving in Cooktown on its way to the Commonwealth Games on the Gold Coast.

You can plan the best spot to cheer on our local batonbearers with details about the Cooktown community celebration and the baton route now available at gc2018.com/qbr. You can also follow the Facebook event for Cooktown's community celebration, www.facebook.com/events/145478579532326/, to keep an eye on the exciting announcements as we get closer to the Baton's arrival in Cooktown.

The Queen's Baton will arrive in Australia on December 24, after spending 288 days travelling through the Commonwealth. The Baton will travel through the hands of approximately 3500 batonbearers throughout every State and Territory. Cooktown's batonbearers are Lisa Brodbeck-Boyles, Peta Buhmann, Jeneen Clark, Susan Forsyth, David Kamholtz, Sarah Martin, Andrew Mirtschin, Marilyn Morris, Chanelle Oldaker, Vince Parkes, Leanne Rayner, Herman Rijken, George Theobald, Kirsty Wilding-Davies and Ray Wright. In December batonbearers will be notified exactly which street section of the Cooktown leg they will be running.

For more information contact Council's Events Officer via email at mail@cook.qld.gov.au or phone on 4069 5444.

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